White Paper on Terrorist and Divisive Forces

310. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government proposes to publish white paper on the terrorists and divisive forces and their inter-connections in Jammu and Kashmir, Punjab, Assam and Tamil Nadu;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Law and order situation due to terrorist activities in various parts of the country has been periodically discussed in Parliament and other forums including the Consultative Committee for the Ministry of Home Affairs and the National Integration Council.

Hindi and English Speaking People

311. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of Hindi and English speaking people in the country, Statewise, details thereof;

(b) the names of the official languages in the different States; and

(c) in which language the Central Government communicate with those non-Hindi speaking States, where the number of Hindi speaking people is more than that of English speaking people?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): (a) The total number of Hindi and English speaking people in the country, Statewise, as such, is not available. However, the number of persons with Hindi (inclusive of mother tongue according to 1981 Census is given in Statement-I.

(b) The names of the official languages in different States is given in Statement-II enclosed.

(c) The language for communication between a State and the Union is not determined by the size of population speaking a particular language in a State but regulated under Provisions of Article 346 of the Constitution. This Article provides that the language for the time being authorised for use in the Union for official purposes shall be the official language for communication between one State and another State and between a State and the Union. The Official Language of the Union under Article 343(1) is Hindi in Devanagri script. However, section 3(1) of the Official Languages Act, 1963 has further provided that English Language shall be used for purposes of communication between the Union and a State which has not adopted Hindi as its Official Language.

Statement

Number of persons with Hindi and English as mother tongue in India/States/Union Territories according to 1981 Census

S. No.	India/States/Union Territories	Number of persons s according to 1981 Censu	
		Hindi	English
1	2	3	4
	INDIA	264,514,117	20,44
1.	Andhra Pradesh	1,418,358	11,455
2.	Assam	..	..

S. No.	India/State/Union Territories	Number of persons according to 1981 Census	
		Hindi	English
3.	Bihar	55,471,663	4,910
4.	Gujarat	746,659	3,581
5.	Haryana	11,492,824	675
6.	Himachal Pradesh	3,797,708	454
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	1,037,116	887
8.	Karnataka	694,374	19,818
9.	Kerala	16,466	4,649
10.	Madhya Pradesh	43,807,729	5,677
11.	Maharasthra	4,313,721	103,814
12.	Manipur	13,574	196
13.	Meghalaya	29,823	495
14.	Nagaland	33,037	429
15.	Orissa	6,14,274	2,096
16.	Punjab	2,549,098	1,764
17.	Rajasthan	30.032,409	2,366
18.	Sikkim	16,987	43
19.	Tamil Nadu	..	..
20.	Tripura	33,332	120
21.	Uttar Pradesh	99,678,891	7,021
22.	West Bengal	3,627.298	21,232
	UNION TERRITORIES		
1.	A&N Islands	31,341	84
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	32,318	124
3.	Chandigarh	249,721	715
4.	D&N Haveli	2,107	38
5.	Delhi	4,737,092	5,142
6.	Goa, Daman & Diu	25,417	3,831
7.	Lakshadweep	140	6
8.	Mizoram	9,586	50
9.	Pondicherry	1,560	316

The figures for India exclude Assam and Tamil Nadu. In Assam, the 1981 Census could not be conducted due to disturbed conditions prevailing in that State then. For Tamil Nadu, the figures are not available since the entire records of the Tamil Nadu State under 'P' Sample Project have been lost due to flood. However, the number of speakers of Hindi/English in Tamil Nadu based on the information of language mainly spoken in the household collected through the Household Schedule are as followes:—

Number of speakers of Hindi — 1,11,589

Number of speakers of English — 27,392

Statement—II

Official Language (s) of States/Union Territories

S. No.	Name of State/Union Territory	Official Language(s) of the State/Union Territory
1	2	3
	STATES	
1.	Andhra Pradesh	Telugu
2.	Assam	Assamese
3.	Bihar	Hindi
4.	Gujarat	Hindi and Gujarati
5.	Haryana	Hindi
6.	Goa	Konkani
7.	Himachal Pradesh	Hindi
8.	Jammu & Kashmir	Urdu
9.	Karnataka	Kannada
10.	Kerala	Malyalam and English
11.	Madhya Pradesh	Hindi
12.	Maharasthra	Marathi
13.	Manipur	Manipuri
14.	Mizoram	Mizo
15.	Nagaland	English
16.	Orissa	Oriya
17.	Punjab	Punjabi
18.	Rajasthan	Hindi
19.	Sikkim	Nepali, Bhutia, Lepcha and Limbu.
20.	Tamil Nadu	Tamil

1	2	3
21.	Tripura	Bengali and Kak Barak
22.	Uttar Pradesh	Hindi
23.	West Bengal	Bengali
	UNION TERRITORIES	
1.	Daman & Diu	Konkani
2.	Pondicherry	Tamil
3.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	These Union Territories are without Legislative Assemblies and, therefore, Hindi or English language is used in official work in accordance with the language policy of the Union.
4.	Chandigarh	
5.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	
6.	Delhi	
7.	Lakshadweep	

N.B. 1. No Act has been passed in respect of Official Language in Arunachal Pradesh and Meghalaya. Here English is used in official work.

2. Many States have provided that English will continue to be used. Further, some States have declared another language as the second official language or additional language to be used for specified official purposes in specified areas.

Atrocities on Harijans

312. SHRI TALARI MANOHAR: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that incidents of atrocities on Harijans has recently been increased in different parts of the country; and

(b) the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRI RAMJI LAL SUMAN): (a) and (b) As per the reports received from the State Governments and Union Territory Administrations, the number of cases of atrocities committed on Scheduled Castes had decreased in the year 1989 as compared to the year 1988. Complete information in respect of 1990 is not yet available. The number of cases reported are as indicated below:

Year	No. of cases reported
1988	15,207
1989	14,276
1990	14,273*

*Complete date have not been received from the States/U.Ts.

SCs/STs families above poverty line in Andhra Pradesh

313. SHRI TALARI MANOHAR: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of scheduled castes and scheduled tribes families in Andhra Pradesh;